



Resolution Number 2015-01

Resolution Regarding Participation in Health Information Systems Maintained by State Agencies

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ILLINOIS HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE AUTHORITY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Authority. This resolution is adopted pursuant to Section 15(e) of the Illinois Health Information Exchange and Technology Act, 20 Illinois Compiled Statutes 3860/1 et seq.

Section 2. Adoption of Minimum Standards for State Agency Participation in the Illinois Health Information Exchange (ILHIE).

WHEREAS, each Illinois State agency that implements, acquires, or upgrades health information technology systems shall use health information technology systems and products that meet minimum standards adopted by the ILHIE Authority (the Authority) for accessing the ILHIE.

WHEREAS, State agencies that have health information which supports and develops the ILHIE shall provide access to patient-specific data to complete the patient record at the ILHIE.

WHEREAS, participation in the ILHIE shall have no impact on the content of or use or disclosure of health information of a patient participating that is held in locations other than the ILHIE.

WHEREAS, the Authority shall protect the confidentiality, privacy and security of Protected Health Information exchanged through the ILHIE in accordance with applicable law, the ILHIE Authority Data Sharing Agreement, and the ILHIE Authority Privacy and Security Policies and Procedures. Use of and access to Protected Information shall be limited to Permitted Purposes. Only Authorized Users of the State agency may be granted access to the ILHIE. The terms Protected Information, Protected Health Information, Permitted Purposes, and Authorized Users shall have the same meaning as set forth in the ILHIE Authority Policies and Procedures.

RESOLVED, the Board hereby adopts the following minimum standards for the provision of patient specific data to the ILHIE:

State agencies shall use file transfers via the ILHIE virtual private network (VPN) or through a secure file transfer protocol (SFTP);

State agency data shall be structured as a flat file, as a subset of the ANSI ASC X12 standard transactions, or as an HL7 standard message; and

Exact file formats will be determine by and between the Authority and each State agency in advance of the Agency being granted access to the ILHIE.

RESOLVED, the Board hereby directs Diego Estrella, as Acting Executive Director of the Authority, to prepare and execute an Interagency Agreement between the Authority and each State agency with relevant patient-specific data to complete the ILHIE patient record.

Section 3. Enactment. This resolution shall take effect immediately. If any section, paragraph or provision of this resolution shall be held to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this resolution.

Adopted this 18th day of March, 2015, by a majority vote of the appointed members as follows:

Ayes:

Nays:

Abstain:

Absent:

Vacancies:

Mason Budelier
Secretary